

#15/B  
10/3/03**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to  
Group Art Unit 2841, 703-872-9319, addressed to:  
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA  
22313-1450.

Date: September 30, 2003

Sonia V. McVean  
Sonia V. McVean

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP ART UNIT 2841****PATENT**  
36856.561**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>Applicant:</b> Norio SAKAI	<b>Art Unit:</b> 2841
<b>Serial No.:</b> 10/004,229	<b>Examiner:</b> D. Levi
<b>Filed:</b> November 2, 2001	<b>OFFICIAL</b>
<b>Title:</b> ELECTRONIC COMPONENT AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME	

**AMENDMENT****RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SEP 30 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 30, 2003, the period for response to which has been extended to September 30, 2003, by the accompanying Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ Amendments to the Specification begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ Amendments to the Drawings begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper

Please note, if a box is not checked, then no corresponding amendment is being made.